

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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POLYPARAXYLYLENE AND DERIVATIVE FILM THEREOF AND  
POLYPARAXYLYLENE DERIVATIVE  
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

This Response is submitted in response to the Office Action dated July 24, 2009.